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Commissioner Dr. Ruth Hargrave
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Dear Commissioner,

The practice of using antibiotics in livestock production (chickens, hogs, cows) has proven to be not only dangerous for animals & humans alike, but is rapidly making antibiotics, as a human medicine, ineffective for obvious reasons: the immunity factor.

The livestock industry should be made to create a clean environment in its production, so as not to have a need for antibiotic use generally.

Animal growth should not be dependent on this medicine.

The FDA should withdraw approval for the use of antibiotics in livestock products except for sick animals.

Many truly yours
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